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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S BIRMINGHAM SPEECH

FOR LORD AND EAGLEBURGER FROM BREMER

1. THE SECRETARY ASKED THAT I PASS ALONG TO YOU HIS
THOUGHTS ON THE BIRMINGHAM SPEECH.

2. HE WOULD LIKE YOU TO DO A ST. LOUIS-TYPE STEM-
WINDER WHICH WOULD COVER THE GENERAL PROBLEM OF
AUTHORITY IN FOREIGN POLICY. IN THIS CONNECTION IT
SHOULD DISCUSS THE RECENT CONGRESSIONAL ACTIONS
(TURKEY, JORDAN, CYPRUS) AND NOTE THE IMPACT ON
FOREIGN POLICY IF ALL FOREIGN POLICY ISSUES BECOME
DOMESTIC ISSUES.

3. I TOLD THE SECRETARY I HAD THOUGHT HE WANTED TO DO
A SPEECH ON FOOD IN BIRMINGHAM. HE SAID HE PREFERS
THE KIND OF SPEECH DESCRIBED ABOVE WITH A FEW
PAGES ON FOOD WORKED INTO IT.

4. WE DID NOT DISCUSS DEADLINES BUT COULD YOU GIVE ME
AN IDEA WHEN HE MIGHT SEE A FIRST DRAFT IN CASE I AM
ASKED? THANKS.

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